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TAGS: MOPS, VS

SUBJECT: CAI LAY INCIDENT

REF: STATE 052430

1. WELCOME DEPARTMENT'S PLAN TO PUBLICIZE CAI LAY INCIDENT, WHICH WE BELIEVE CAN BE VERY USEFUL IN CALLING PUBLIC ATTENTION TO SUFFERING CAUSED BY COMMUNIST BREACHES OF CEASE-FIRE.

2. IDEAS SUGGESTED PARA 2 OF REFTEL ALL SEEM EXCELLENT. HOWEVER, RECOMMEND THAT FUND FOR BURIAL OF DEAD AND CARE OF WOUNDED CHILDREN BE WIDENED IN SCOPE TO ASSIST ALL VICTIMS, AND FAMILIES OF VICTIMS, OF COMMUNIST TERROISM IN SOUTH VIETNAM SINCE THE CEASE-FIRE. THIS WOULD AVOID SINGLING OUT ONLY ONE SMALL GROUP OF UNFORTUNATES FOR ASSISTANCE AND WOULD ALSO SERVE TO KEEP ALIVE PUBLIC AWARENESS OF THE CONTINUING PROBLEM OF COMMUNIST TERRORISM HERE.

3. WE ARE NOW BEGINNING TO COLLECT MATERIALS REQUESTED PARA 3 REFTEL AND WILL FORWARD THEM TO DEPARTMENT AS SOON AS WE CAN. MARTIN

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Message Attributes

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